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- 'Submachine Sun of the 1941 type' (the pistol machine gun of Shpagin) has been modernized in the last few years. The disc magazines have been replaced with box (sector) ones and the gun has been provided with a new, simplified sight.
- 2. "The offic al data on the modernized version of the 1941 submachine gum are:

Weight of gun without loaded magazine Weight of gun with loaded magazine Weight of sectional magazine with 35 Weight of empty magazine

Length of gun Length of barrel Lereth of rifled part of barrel Initial velocity

Technical capacity Practical capacity Range of sight

3.65 kg 4.31 kg

0.66 kg 0.29 kg

843 mm 270 mm 248.5 mm

500 m/sec .

1,000 shots per minute 70-100 shots per minute 200 m

- "The gun uses pistol cartridges of a 7.62 mm caliber of the 1930 type. The weight of a cartridge is 10.65 gr., and the weight of the bullet 5.5 gr. The gun has ordinary bullets and tracer bullets. The heads of the latter are painted green.
- "Its new sight has two distances only: 10 corresponds to 100 meters and 20 to 200 meters. By one movement of state can change the sight from 10 to 20, and vice versa.
- 5. "Every submachine gun shooter carries 245 battle cartridges of which 10 per

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	cent have tracing bullets.	*
6.	The 7.62 mm Soviet battle bullets for rifle	arms have the following
	appearance according to the new nomenclature	
	a. Ordinary light bullet 9.6 gr - wi	ithout any distinctive
	coloring b. Ordinary heavy bullet 11.8 gr - 1	nead painted yellow
	c. Armor-piercing bullet - head pair d. Tracing bullet - head painted gre	een
	e. Armor-piercing incendiary bullet	- head painted black with .
	a red ring	
	violet with a red ring	
	Treendiary ranging bullet - head	painted red
	h. Ranging bullet - head painted wh	ite
7.	"The various boxes of this ammunition have a	strip of the same color."
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